# Hunting and Trapping Emergency Order Alaska Department

Under the Authority of AS 16.05.060

Alaska Department of Fish and Game

Emergency Order No. 02-14-05

Issued at Cordova, Alaska October 24, 2005

**Effective Date:** 11:59 p.m.

October 25, 2005

**Expiration Date:** June 30, 2006

unless superseded by subsequent emergency order

Sept. 15—Oct. 25

## **EXPLANATION:**

This emergency order closes the State of Alaska resident and nonresident hunting season for mountain goat in registration permit hunt RG252 west of the Columbia Glacier and east of Unakwik Inlet in Game Management Unit 6(D). Mountain goat hunting regulations in all other portions of Game Management Unit 6 are not affected by this emergency order.

# **REGULATION:**

Therefore, the following regulations in 5AAC 85.040(a)(2), Hunting Seasons and Bag **Limits for Goat**, are superseded by this emergency order, and the following provisions are effective:

	Resident	
	Open Season	
	(Subsistence and	Nonresident
<b>Units and Bag Limits</b>	<b>General Hunts</b> )	<b>Open Season</b>

Sept. 15—Oct. 25

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Unit 6(D), Hunt RG252: specifically that portion west of Columbia Glacier and east of Unakwik Inlet

1 goat by registration permit only

All other mountain goat hunting regulations in the remainder of Unit 6 are not affected by this emergency order.

McKie Campbell Commissioner

By delegation to:

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Cordova Area Wildlife Biologist

# **JUSTIFICATION:**

Aerial surveys completed during September 2004 yielded an estimate of 230 goats in registration permit area RG252. The Department set the maximum allowable harvest quota at 13 goats, which has been achieved. There are additional hunters afield and others who have not yet reported.